

INVITATION TO BID

TOWN OF NORTH HAVEN

The Town of North Haven is accepting sealed bids for the purchase of a 2019 F350 4x4 SRW Crew Cab 6.5' Box with a 6.2L V-8 Engine, Project No. 19-15. This vehicle will be utilized by the fire department as a utility vehicle. Bids will be received at the Finance Office, Memorial Town Hall, 18 Church Street, North Haven, Connecticut, until 10:00 AM on November 21, 2018, at which time and place they will be opened and publicly read. Specifications may be obtained from the Finance Office. After bids are received the Director of Finance and Administration may analyze whether vendors have submitted comparable bids and meet the requirements called for. In reviewing the bids, the Director of Finance and Administration may consider the past performance, financial responsibility, and sales and service experience of the vendors. The Director of Finance and Administration reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive any defects in same, or to choose to make purchases other than strictly in accordance with price considerations, and/or to choose other than the lowest bidder, if it be deemed in the best interest of the Town of North Haven. **Bidders are advised hereby of the existence of an Ordinance concerning Bid Preference for Town-Based Businesses.**

Edward J. Swinkoski, CPA
Director of Finance and Administration

Fire Department Utility Vehicle

Bid Specifications

INTENT OF OPTIONS & SPECIFICATIONS

It is the intent of these specifications to cover the furnishing and delivery to the Town of North Haven a fire utility vehicle (4WD-Pickup) equipped as hereafter specified. With a view to obtaining the best results and the most acceptable fire apparatus for service in the Fire Department, these specifications cover the general build requirements and vehicle options to which the vehicle must conform.

DELIVERY DATE REQUIREMENTS

Delivery of the completed vehicle shall be scheduled for after March 25th, 2018 but no more than twenty (20) weeks after acceptance of the formal contract award. The dealer shall specify in the bid the date the vehicle will be delivered to the purchaser.

CONTRACT AWARD

The contract shall be awarded to the lowest and best bidder meeting the attached specifications. Each bidder shall submit on his proposal page a single line item price for the proposed vehicle. Price shall be based on the payment upon receipt of the accepted complete vehicle by the Fire Department. No discounts, options, or prepayment schedules shall be listed on the proposal page.

- At minimum the following vehicle features/options/specifications must be included:
- 2019 Model Year (New)
- 6.2L V8 Engine
- Platform Running Boards
- Snow Plow Prep Package
- Wheels: 18" Argent Painted Steel
- Upfitter Switches
- Spray in Bedliner
- Dual 78AH Batteries
- Power Equipment Group
- Tires: LT275/70RX18E BSW A/T
- Electronic Locking Rear Axle w/3.73 Ratio

Envelope (s) must be plainly marked BID, with the purpose and time of opening.

ALL BIDS MUST BE ON THIS FORM.

BID \$ _____

Bids Submitted By:

Date: _____

Name of Firm

Telephone Number Fax Number

Address

Printed Name Title

City, State, Zip

Authorized Signature